



PATENT APPLICATION
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICATION OF)
PAUL AIMONE ET AL) GROUP NO.: 1753
SERIAL NUMBER: 10/075,709) EXAMINER: R.G. MCDONALD
FILED: FEBRUARY 14, 2002)
TITLE: REJUVENATION OF)
REFRACTORY METAL)
PRODUCTS)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

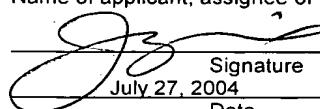
Sir:

Appellants, by the undersigned attorney, respectfully petition the Assistant Commissioner of Patents under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for filing their response so that the Notice of Appeal filed simultaneously with this Petition will be considered timely filed.

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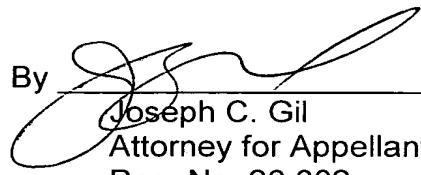

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